GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Revenue (Disaster Management) Department - South West Monsoon 2016 - Khariff - Drought- Declaration of 245 Mandals as Drought Affected in the State- Orders – Issued.

REVENUE [DM.II] DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 9 **Dated: 21-10-2016**

Read the Following:-

1. G.O.Rt.No.267, Revenue (DM.II) Depaartment, dt. 29.10.2013.
2. D.O.Letter No.12021/DM.II/A1/2015, dt. 21.09.2016 of Commissioner, Disaster Management & EOS to Government.
3. Reports received from the District Collectors in October 2016.
4. Minutes of the Meeting of the Committee on Drought held on 19.10.2016.

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ORDER :

During South West Monsoon-2016 (1-6-2016 to 30-09-2016), the State received a rainfall of 533.8 mm as against the normal rainfall of 556 mm with a deviation of (-) 4%, whereas rainfall received during the previous year (2015) was 519.7 mm with a deviation of – 5.4% for the corresponding period.

2. As per Andhra Pradesh Handbook for Management of Drought, 1995 and Manual for Drought Management published by Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, 2009, the proposals for declaration of drought should be examined with reference to the following norms and the District Collectors should send specific report to the Government taking Mandal as a unit:

a. Deficiency in rainfall
   (i) (-) 25% and above in Mandals where the annual normal rainfall is more than 1000 mm.,

   (ii) (-) 20% and above in Mandals where the annual normal rainfall is 750 mm to 999.9 mm.,

   (iii) (-)15% and above in Mandals where the annual normal rainfall is less than 750 mm i.e 749.9 mm.

b. Compression/reduction in the cropped areas of 50% and above under all Principal crops.

c. Normal reduction in crop yields of 33% and above, comparative with average yields of previous 5 years.

d. Dry spells and its impact on crop damages.
e. Normalized Vegetative Differential Index (NDVI).
f. Moisture Adequacy Index (MAI).

For considering declaration of drought, the first norm of (a) Deficiency in Rainfall is compulsory and out of (b) to (d) norms, any two norms must be fulfilled, apart from norms (e) and (f) that would be prepared by NRSC and ANGRAU respectively.

3. A meeting of the Committee on Drought constituted vide G.O 1st read above to scrutinize the proposals submitted by the District Collectors for declaration of Drought Affected Mandals was held on 19.10.2016. The Committee have examined in detail the proposals received from the District Collectors of Srikakulam, Prakasam, SPS Nellore, Anantapuram, Chittoor, YSR Kadapa & Kurnool for declaration of Drought Affected Mandals in Khariff-2016 with reference to the prescribed norms of Government of India and Government of Andhra Pradesh and the prevailing drought like situation in the State due to erratic rainfall and dry spells.

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4. The Committee after examining the proposals have recommended 245 Mandals in seven Districts to the Government for declaration as Drought Affected in 2016 in terms Drought norms.

5. Government after careful examination of the recommendations of the Committee on Drought and keeping in view of the reports furnished by the District Collectors in the reference 3rd read above, have decided to declare the 245 mandals (as in Annexure-II) in 7 districts of Andhra Pradesh Viz., Anantapur – 63, Chittoor – 53, Kurnool – 36, Kadapa – 32, Nellore – 27, Prakasam – 23 and Srikakulam - 11 as Drought affected Mandals in Khariff-2016.

6. The District Collectors concerned shall ensure deletion of the notified municipal/urban areas and areas falling under permanent assured irrigation sources. Urban Mandals which are not declared as drought affected, shall be treated on par with drought affected Mandals for the purpose of drinking water. The District Collectors concerned shall issue the notification in the District Gazette as mentioned in Annexure-I in Telugu, which is the official language of the State, as per the Andhra Pradesh Official Languages Act, 1995.

7. The District Collectors concerned shall take immediate further necessary action.

8. The Commissioner and Director of Printing, Stationery and Stores Purchase (Printing Wing), Andhra Pradesh shall publish the notification in the extra-ordinary issue of Andhra Pradesh Gazette.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

K.DHANANJAYA REDDY
COMMISSIONER, DISASTER MANAGEMENT &
EX-OFFICIO SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To
The District Collectors of Srikakulam, Prakasam, SPSR Nellore, Anantapuram, Chittoor, YSR Kadapa & Kurnool.
The District Treasury Officer concerned.
The Commissioner & Director of Printing Stationery & Stores Purchase, A.P.
The Special Chief Secretary to Government, Agriculture & Cooperation Department
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, A.P.
The Special Chief Secretary & Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P.
The Special Chief Secretary to Government, Planning Department.
The Special Chief Secretary to Government, Finance Department.
The Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests, A.P.
The Prl.Secretary to Government, Animal Husbandry Dairy Development & Fisheries
The Prl.Secretary to Government, MA & UD Department.
The Prl.Secretary to Government, PR & RD Department.
The Prl.Secretary to Government, RWS & S Department.
The Prl.Secretary to Government, Women Development & Child Welfare Deptt.
The Director NRSC, Balanagar, Hyderabad.
The Director of IMD, Begumpet, Hyderabad.
The Director, Agro Climate Research Centre Agriculture Research Institute, ANGRAU.
The Director of Economics & Statistics, A.P.
The Commissioner of I&PR Dept. with a request to issue press note to electronic and print media.
The Commissioner, Civil Supplies & Ex. Officio Secretary to Government.
The Director of Agriculture, A.P.
The Commissioner of Horticulture, A.P.
The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, A.P.

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The Commissioner, Rural Development.
The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj Department,
The Commissioner & Director of School Education,
The Commissioner & Director of Intermediate Education,
The Commissioner, Higher Education,
The Managing Director, A.P. State Civil Supplies Corporation.
The Managing Director, APTRANSCO.
The Director, Animal Husbandry, A.P.
The Director, Health Department, A.P.
The Director, State Audit.
The Director, Groundwater, Department.
The Chief Executive Officer, APSDPS.
The Engineer-in-Chief, Public Health, A.P.
The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, A.P.
The Engineer-in-Chief, Rural Water Supply, A.P.
The Chief Engineer, Public Health, A.P.

Copy to:

All the Principal Secretaries in the CM's Office.
The Accountant General, A.P. Hyderabad.
The Agriculture & Cooperation Department.
The Education Department.
The Energy Department.
The Animal Husbandry & Fisheries Department.
The PR&RD (RWS.I, II, III & RD.I, II, III) Department.
The Managing Director, APCOB.
The Finance (FMU-Rev-IC) Department.
The Convener, A.P. State Level Banker's Committee, Andhra Bank, Saifabad, Hyd.
The Managing Director, NABARD, Hyderabad.
The General Administration (Cabinet) Department.
The P.S to Dy. CM (Home & DM)
The P.S. to Dy CM. (Revenue)
The P.S. to Minister (Finance).
The P.S. to Minister (Agriculture)
The P.S. to Chief Secretary to Government.
The P.S. to Spl. Chief Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
The Revenue (DM Accounts. I) Department, A.P. Secretariat.
The P.S. to Commissioner, Disaster Management & Ex-officio Secretary to Government.
The Spl. Commissioner, SDMA, Revenue (DM) Department.

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SECTION OFFICER

ANNEXURE-I

(G.O. Ms. No. 9 , REVENUE (DM.II) DEPT, dt.21.10.2016

NOTIFICATION

In the circumstances reported by the respective District Collectors, the Government here by declare that Drought exists during the South West Monsoon - 2016 in 245 Mandals in 7 Districts annexed to this order. The concerned District Collectors shall take necessary further action and notify the specific Mandals/specific areas in the Mandal in the District Gazette to enable farmers to avail credit facilities and to take up relief operations. The concerned District Collector shall ensure deletion of the notified Municipal/Urban areas and areas falling under permanent assured irrigation sources from drought affected Mandals. Only for the purpose of drinking water, these ares shall be treated on par with drought affected Mandals.

The concerned District Collectors are requested to furnish (10) copies of the District Gazette Notification to the Government.

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ANNEXURE - II

DECLARED AS DROUGHT AFFECTED MANDALS			
(Vide GO Ms. No.9 , Revenue (DM.II) Dept., dt. .10.2016			
S.NO.	**NAME OF THE DISTRICT**		**NAME OF THE MANDAL**
1	**1. SRIKAKULAM.**	1	Mandasa
2		2	Narasannapeta
3		3	Ichapuram
4		4	Santhabommali
5		5	V.Kotturu
6		6	Bhamini
7		7	Palasa
8		8	Gara
9		9	Kaviti
10		10	Etcherla
11		11	Saravakota
12	**2. PRAKASAM DISTRICT**	1	N.G. Padu
13		2	Chimakurthi
14		3	J.Pangulur
15		4	Martur
16		5	Yeddanapudi
17		6	Inkollu
18		7	Kandukur
19		8	Gudluru
20		9	V.V.Palem
21		10	Ponnaluru
22		11	S.Konda
23		12	Lingasmudram
24		13	Kanigiri
25		14	Pamur
26		15	Veligandla
27		16	C.S. Puram
28		17	P.C. Palli
29		18	Tarlupadu
30		19	Dornala
31		20	Tripuranthakam

32		21	Komarolu
33		22	Cumbum
34		23	Ardhaveedu
35	**3.SPS NELLORE**	1	Seetharamapuram
36		2	Varikuntapadu
37		3	Kondapuram
38		4	Jaladanki
39		5	Bogole
40		6	Kaligiri
41		7	Vinjamur
42		8	Duttalur
43		9	Udayagiri
44		10	Marripadu
45		11	Atmakuru
46		12	Anumasamudrampeta
47		13	Chejerla
48		14	Anantha Sagaram
49		15	Kaluvoya
50		16	Rapur
51		17	Podlakur
52		18	Gudur
53		19	Sydapuram
54		20	Dakkili
55		21	Venkatagiri
56		22	Balayapalle
57		23	Ojili
58		24	Chillakur
59		25	Doravarisatram
60		26	Sullurpeta
61		27	Tada
62	**4.CHITTOOR DISTRICT**	1	Molakalacheruvu
63		2	Peddathippasamudram
64		3	B. Kothakota
65		4	Kalakada

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5	Yerravari Palem
6	Khambham Vari Palle
7	Peddapanjani
8	Santhipuram
9	Kalikiri
10	Gurramkonda
11	Valmikipuram
12	Sodam
13	Thamballapalle
14	Kurabalakota
15	Rompicherla
16	Bangarupalem
17	Venkatagirikota
18	Gudupalle
19	Kuppam
20	Gangavaram
21	Pulicherla
22	Madanapalle
23	Nimmanapalle
24	Ramakuppam
25	Somala
26	Piler
27	Baireddipalle
28	Yadamarri
29	Punganur
30	Thottambedu
31	Srikalahasti
32	Buchinaidu Kandrika
33	Yerpedu
34	Renigunta
35	Pakala
36	Chinnagottigallu
37	Vedurukuppam
38	Gudipala

100		39	Chittoor
101		40	Palamaner
102		41	Srirangarajapuram
103		42	Ramasamudram
104		43	Peddamandyam
105		44	Chandragiri
106		45	Chowdepalli
107		46	Thavanampalle
108		47	Ramachandrapuram
109		48	Gangadharanellore
110		49	Karvetinagar
111		50	Puthalapattu
112		51	Palasamudram
113		52	Irala
114		53	Penumur
115	**5. KADAPA**	1	S.A.K.N
116		2	Kalasapadu
117		3	Poramamilla
118		4	Simhadripuram
119		5	Lingala
120		6	Pulivendla
121		7	Thondur
122		8	Chakrayapet
123		9	Galiveedu
124		10	Chinnamandem
125		11	Sambepalle
126		12	T Sundupalle
127		13	Royachoti
128		14	Lakkireddipalle
129		15	B. Mattam
130		16	Gopavaram
131		17	Badvel
132		18	Atlur
133		19	Kondapuram

134		20	Myalavaram
135		21	Peddamudium
136		22	Rajupalem
137		23	B.Kodur
138		24	Muddanur
139		25	Vemula
140		26	V.N. Palle
141		27	Kamalapuram
142		28	C.K. Dinne
143		29	Pendlimarri
144		30	Vempalle
145		31	Ramapuram
146		32	Veeraballe
147	**6. ANANTHAPURAMU**	1	Ananthapuramu
148		2	Garladinne
149		3	Atmakur
150		4	Kudair
151		5	Singanamala
152		6	B.K. Samudram
153		7	Narpala
154		8	Tadipatri
155		9	Yadiki
156		10	Peddapapur
157		11	Putlur
158		12	Yellanur
159		13	Gunthakal
160		14	Gooty
161		15	Pamidi
162		16	Peddavadugur
163		17	Uravakonda
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22	Bathalapalli
23	C.K.Palli
24	Kanaganipalli
25	Ramagiri
26	Rapthadu
27	Mudigubba
28	Kalyandurg
29	Beluguppa
30	Kambadur
31	Kundurpi
32	Brahmasamudram
33	Settur
34	Rayadurg
35	D.Hirehal
36	Gummaghatta
37	Kanekal
38	Bommanahal
39	Penukonda
40	Somandepalli
41	Roddam
42	Madakasira
43	Amarapuram
44	Gudibanda
45	Rolla
46	Agali
47	Hindupur
48	Parigi
49	Lepakshi
50	Chilamathur
51	Gorantla
52	Kadiri
53	Nallamada
54	N.P. Kunta
55	Talupula

202		56	Nallacheruvu
203		57	O.D. Cheruvu
204		58	Tanakal
205		59	Amadagur
206		60	Gandlapenta
207		61	Puttaparthi
208		62	Kothacheruvu
209		63	Bukkapatnam
210	**7. KURNOOL**	1	Pedda Kadubur
211		2	Holagunda
212		3	Alur
213		4	Sirivel
214		5	Sanjamala
215		6	Halaharvi
216		7	Mantralayam
217		8	Nandavaram
218		9	C Belegal
219		10	Gudur
220		11	Kothapalli
221		12	Orvakal
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224		15	Krishnagiri
225		16	Venldurthi
226		17	Bethamcherla
227		18	Panyam
228		19	Gadi Vemula
229		20	Bandi Atmakur
230		21	Allagadda
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35	Aspari
36	Adoni

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